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JavaScript Events

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JavaScript in the browser uses an event-driven programming model. An event is a signal that something has happened. Examples of events are the page completing loading, a user clicking on a button, hovering on an element, typing into an input box, submitting a form, etc. JavaScript enables you to respond to events using Event Handlers. You can attach an event handler to the HTML element for which you want to respond to when a specific event occurs.

Events - any action that causes something else to happen. ie: When you refresh the page, a pop-up pops up. Or when you click a button, a form submits.

index.html

```
<!DOCTYPE html>
<html>
 <head>
 <title>Oprah Likes You. And so do other people.</title>
 <style>
/* Basic CSS comment */
body {
 background: grey;
 color: white;
width: 960px;
 margin: 0 auto;
 }
 h1 {
font-size: 80px;
color: #333 ;
 }
 </style>
 <script>
 alert("I'm annoying");
 </script>
 </head>
 <body>
 <h1>Hello Chris!</h1>
 </body>
</html>
```

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